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THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Wednesday Morning, June 28, 1871.

The Tariff Question.

Information has reached us from a well informed source at Ottawa which would lead us to the conclusion that British Columbia is likely to be disappointed if she expects the Dominion Parliament to assent to the proposed reductions in her present Customs Tariff, with a view to retaining it in preference to coming under the Federal Tariff. British Columbia, it is asserted, has gained admission upon terms eminently favorably to her; and it is scarcely to be expected that Parliament will turn round and, in the very next session after the one which witnessed the memorable struggle for the passage of these terms, materially alter the financial basis of Union so as to give her large additional advantages; for although the difference in the amount of revenue derived under the Tariff as it now stands and as it is proposed to make it does not represent a very large sum now, the Canadians are sufficiently shrewd to see that it must rapidly increase. It is reckoned that at the present time British Columbia would pay some sixty-five thousand dollars a year more under her own tariff than she would under the Canadian one. But double the population again in two years more, and you have the difference at two hundred and sixty thousand. Keep on increasing it with the inevitable increase of population and consumption, and before the decade shall have expired during which it is proposed to retain our present tariff it would be found that the Colony would be contributing little if any short of a million a year towards the Federal revenue in excess of her fair proportion—in excess of what there is any occasion to pay. It will thus be seen that it would be a grave error to gauge the importance of the question by the sixty five thousand dollars a year which is the present measure of the difference. Nor will the Dominion Parliament be in a favorable mood to entertain such a proposition at the next session. With New Brunswick pressing her claim to 'better terms'—a claim chiefly based upon the concessions made to the Pacific Province—with Nova Scotia still in an ill humor, with a powerful Opposition eager to pass over to the treasury benches and determined to make what popularity they can at the impending general election out of what they represent as the 'monstrous' terms given to this Colony, is it reasonable, is it sane to expect that the Government party will take up the proposition to give British Columbia more money and greater advantages? And if the Government party does not take it up, what party will? Surely not the Opposition. But even if there were reason to expect that this proposition to modify and then retain the present tariff would be entertained, it occurs to one to ask, Why should the Pacific Province voluntarily assume a large amount of Federal taxation in excess of her sister Provinces and in excess of what she is asked to assume? Why, to be plain, should the Pacific Colonists voluntarily undertake to pay to those of the other Provinces one dollar and a half, or even half of that, upon every barrel of flour that is consumed west of the Cascade Range? Why should the population of the entire Colony pay one dollar and seventy cents *extra* upon every gallon of spirits? Doubtless the member for Victoria District, and his obedient member for Nanaimo District, will tell their intended dupes that it is for the good of the farmers. But the farmers East of the Cascade Range are beyond the reach of such influences—Nature having given them ample protection; and the farmers West of the Cascade Range continue to eat foreign flour in spite of the enormous protective duty it bears, and will doubtless continue to do so for many years to come whether the duty thereon remain at what it has been these four years past, or whether it be reduced one-half, or whether it be removed altogether. And as for spirits, will the farmer grow that? We have not much faith in some people's professions about protecting the farmer, for we have seen that the most zealous pretenders to that doctrine would not hesitate, the one to dabble in Canadian butter to the complete ruin of the local market for a whole season, the other to import foreign barley to the tune of two thousand sacks at a single shipment—all, of course, for the good of the farmer! It will require no little ingenuity to convince the intelligent farmers of Vancouver Island that it is to their interest to pay into the treasury at Ottawa a special tax of a dollar and a half on every barrel of flour they consume, and a dollar and seventy cents on every gallon of spirits they consume and, for what? Protection! Protection for what?

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Esquimalt, June 28, 1871. je28

FOR SALE.

THAT WELL-SITUATED BUSINESS Property known as the Bee Hive, having a frontage of about 51 feet 6 inches on Broad street, by 75 feet on Fort street, comprising a two-story frame house and two one-story brick stores, with the lots on which they stand, now occupied by J Weiler at a rental of $30 per month. This property offers a fine opportunity to parties seeking an investment.
Apply to L. LOWENBERG,
je28 Real Estate Agent, Government street.

Preliminary Notice.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Has received instructions from

HIS EXCELLENCY GOV MUSGRAVE

To dispose of at Public Auction, on

Tuesday, July 18th.

HORSES, CARRIAGES,
WAGON, HARNESS,
SADDLERY,
STABLE FURNITURE
CHINA and GLASSWARE,
WINES OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.
Etc, Etc, Etc.

Particulars of Sale will be hereafter announced.
LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
je28 Auctioneer.

WANTED

5000 Men

TO ROLL

TEN PINS!

AT THE

Favorite Resort

—OF—

YOURS TRULY,

DUHIG & CO.
je28

MECHANICS INSTITUTE RAFFLE.



THE COMMITTEE HAVE DECIDED to raffle the handsome Trichord Grand Piano belonging to the Institute.
250 Chances at $2 50 Each.
The piano is by Collard & Collard of London, and is believed to be the finest toned instrument ever imported to the Colony.
Tickets may be had of Messrs T N Hibben & Co, of the Librarian, or of any member of the Committee. je28

Boots! Boots! Boots!

W. HEATHORN,

Government street, next to the Post Office,
Has now on hand a large assortment of
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Of his own manufacture, which he invites the public to examine
BOOTS & SHOES made to order. REPAIRING done.
Uppers, Leather & Shoe Findings for Sale. je27

Strawberries

RIPE STRAWBERRIES!!

THE CELEBRATED STRAWBERries from the well known Gardens of Mr Wm Clarkson, New Westminster, received by every steamer and for sale in 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10 lb boxes by
WM GIBSON,
je27 Family Grocer, cor of Yates and Douglas sts

Lecture.

BARNEY O'RAGAN, [T G MURPHY], WILL deliver a Lecture on 'Irish Wit and Humor' at Alhamb a Hall on THURSDAY Evening at 8.30 o'clock The Lecturer will conclude the entertainment by reciting 'Shamus O'Brien.'
Admission—Front seats, 50 cents, and to other parts of the house, 25 cts. Doors open at 8 o'clock, lecture to commence at 8.30. je27

Odd Fellows' Hall.

Merchant's Exchange

Beneath the above hall will re open on

DOMINION DAY, JULY 1ST, 1871,

When the undersigned will be glad to have all old friends try his NEW DRINK

'CONFEDERATION.'

je27 H. FORMAN, Manager.

FOR SALE.

THAT EXCELLENT AND COMMODIous two-story Dwelling House situated on Bird Cage Walk, James Bay, late in the occupation of Capt Cooper with good well of water, stable, coach house and convenient offices. The property is freehold, having a frontage of 80 feet on Bird Cage Walk with a depth of 110 feet
For particulars apply to
ROBERT BURNABY,
je25 Land Agent, Government street.

Mule Team for Sale.

TEN OR TWELVE MULES WITH TWO or three Wagons will be sold cheap for cash, or on time by giving good security. Apply to
P. MOREN,
my28 2md&w Spence's Bridge.

MONEY TO LOAN

AT LOW RATES ON FIRST CLASS Security, repayable by installments
Houses and Farms to be Let
Town and Country Property for Sale on easy Terms or Purchase
THOS ALLSOP, Land Agent,
ap15 3m* Government street near Fort

Edward Willson,

CORNER FORT AND DOUGLAS STREETS,

VICTORIA, B.C.,

FAMILY GROCER

Tea & Coffee Merchant.

je11

DODGES MOWER AND REAPER combined.

KIRBY MOWER AND REAPER combined.

CLIPPER MOWER

WALTER A WOOD'S MOWERS

SWEEPSTAKE'S THRESHER, GEARED

PITTS' do do

For Sale by
je6 2pdaw EDGAR MARVIN.

New Advertisements.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,

Auctioneers,

APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,

WHARF ST, VICTORIA.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot of Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade, or Furniture purchased for Cash
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general accountant's business confidentially transacted ap4 1m.

AUCTION

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD

Furniture

Billiard Table, Bar Fixings, &c.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

Are instructed by Mr William Selleck to sell on the premises, at the Steamboat Exchange Hotel, Esquimalt

Friday, June 30, 1871,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The whole of his

Household Furniture

And other Effects, comprising:

A full sized Phelan's Pocket Billiard Table in splendid order, with Cues, Pool Balls, &c, complete.

Handsome Bar Counter and Fittings

Colored and other Engravings, Mirrors, Glassware, Crockery, Tables, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chairs, Horsehair Safas, Couches, Kitchen and Parlor Stoves

Blocks, Ropes, Carpenters' Tools, Fairbank's Platform Scale &c.

—ALSO—

Stock of Wines, Liquors, &c, &c.

—ALSO—

After the above, under a Bill of Sale, the following goods and effects, viz:

1 first rate Pile Driver,
1 good Lighter,
1 Truck,
1 Wheelbarrow,

And a quantity of Lumber, now or lately known as Selleck's at Esquimalt.

TERMS CASH,

Goods to be paid for and removed immediately after the sale

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
j25 Auctioneers

MRS. R. W. TURNER

MILLINER AND DRESSMAKER.

North Park street near the Catholic Church

CUTTING AND FITTING DONE on the most reasonable terms.
Instructions given in Cutting and Fitting Dresses, Skirts, Sacques, Basques, &c by the latest improved and best Diagrams now in use. Ladies wishing to learn the art, could do well to call and see the diagrams, by which means they can be taught in a week the work of months.
Special attention paid to bleaching and dressing straw Goods, North Park street, near the Catholic Church, Victoria, B C. je20

School Notice.

YOUNG LADIES' BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,
Fairfield Terrace, top of Fort st.
MME. PETIBEAU, Principal.
THE SUMMER VACATION commences on Monday June 26th, and terminates on Monday July 10th, on which day studies will be resumed. The attendance of the pupils is particularly requested.
A few more Boarding Scholars can be received. je26

Diocesan Church Society

SUBSCRIBERS are respectfully reminded that their annual contributions are now due. The Society aims to assist generally in the maintenance of the Church of England in the Colony; and in consequence of the reduction of the annual grants from the Home Society the extension of local aid is most necessary. Donations and subscriptions will be gladly received by the Very Rev. Dean Cridge, Rev P Jones, and by the Hon'y Treasurer, W. G. Ward, Esq. At New Westminster by the Ven'ble Archdeacon Woods and by A T Busnby, Esq.
Victoria, 24th June, 1871 je25

To be Let, Furnished

A 6-ROOMED HOUSE ON PANDORA STREET
Apply to T. ALLSOP, Land Agent,
je25 Government street near Fort.

A. RICKMAN,

IMPORTER OF AND DEALER

Groceries & Provisions,

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has opened the spacious store

Corner Government and Fort Streets,

[Opposite the Mechanics' Literary Institute]

With a select and first class Stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Which he offers for sale Wholesale and Retail

At most Reasonable Rates.

Thanking the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me as partner of the late firm of Willson & Rickman, I also hope to enjoy a share of the same for the future

All goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge
je24 A. RICKMAN.

Agency.

I BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS OF Cariboo and the Upper Country generally that being engaged in business at Victoria, and having from five or six years' experience a thorough knowledge of the class of goods required east of the Cascades, I am open to purchase and forward to order all classes of goods suitable for their market. I would invite the special attention of families and others living on or near the Road and in Cariboo to the facilities of forwarding at a light expense small parcels of goods per Express. I will pay particular attention to the selection of such goods as they may require.
Mining Companies and Traders requiring business transacted in this city will do well to communicate with

W. J. JEFFREE,

CLOTHIER AND OUTFITTER,

Yates street, Victoria.

REFERENCES:—Bank of British Columbia, Jerome Harper & Bro.
Victoria, May 23, 1871. my24

Amusements.

THEATRE ROYAL

BARKER'S

GREAT PANORAMA

OF THE

FOUR RIVERS OF THE WEST

will be exhibited for the SECOND TIME on

WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, June 28th,

Commencing at 8½ o'clock.

HIS PANORAMA comprises Views of
BRITISH COLUMBIA,
CALIFORNIA,
OREGON
And ALASKAN SCENERY.

The artist has carefully sketched the leading characteristics of the localities represented, and trusts that the visitor will find in the Panorama much that will prove interesting and profitable.
ADMISSION—Dress Circle or Parquet $1; Pit 50 cents. Reserved Seats 25 cents extra.
The Box Office will be open for the sale of Seats on Saturday the 24th and Monday the 26th inst. from 10 till 2 o'clock. je27

Craigflower School

PICNIC.

THE ANNUAL PICNIC OF THE CRAIGflower School will be held at

THE GORGE,

—ON—

SATURDAY, JULY 15th, 1871.

TICKETS $1; to be had of the following

COMMITTEE:

Mr Porter | Mr Hillier
Mr Stuart | Mr Bailey
Mr Calvert | Mr Semple
Mr Cogan | Mr Pratt
Mr Dodd
je28 M DODD, Secretary.

Hurrah for Dominion Day.

THE ANNUAL PARADE & PICNIC OF THE VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

WILL TAKE PLACE ON DOMINION Day—July 1st—at Medara's Grove. A spacious Platform will be erected and an efficient Quadrille Band will be in attendance during the day and evening, and Athletic Sports and Games will form a part of the Amusements, a programme of which will appear in a few days.
The following-named gentlemen have been appointed a GENERAL COMMITTEE

Mr John Dickson, President VFD; Mr Simeon Duck, Chief Engineer VFD; Mr F G Richards, Assistant Engineer VFD.

UNION H & L Co, No 1—Chas E Bunting, Foreman; Mr J Vaughan, 1st Assistant; Mr Huxtable, 2d Assistant.

DELUGE ENGINE Co, No 1—Mr John Crowther, Foreman Mr Frank Saunders, 1st Assistant; William Harrison, 2d Assistant.

TIGER ENGINE Co, No 2—Mr James Orr, Foreman; Mr Elijah Simpson, 1st Assistant; Mr Charles Lombard 2nd Assistant.

TICKETS—ONE DOLLAR EACH; Ladies, and Children under 12 years of age, free.
Every exertion will be made by the Committee to make this the greatest picnic of the season.

LIST OF GAMES:

1 Standing Long Jump, without weights. Entrance 25c, Prize $2 50.
2 Running Long Jump, without weights. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50
3 Standing High Jump without weights. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50.
4 Running High Jump, without weights. Entrance 50c Prize $5.
5 Hop, Skip and Jump. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50.
6 Putting Heavy Shot. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50.
7 Throwing Heavy Hammer. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50
8 Foot Race, 100 yards. Entrance 50c. 1st prize $5, 2nd prize $1 50.
9 Foot Race, 200 yards. Entrance 50c. 1st prize $10, 2nd prize $2 50.
10 Firemen's Race, 150 yards. Entrance free. 1st prize $5, 2nd prize $1 50.
11 Foot Race for boys under 15 years, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. 1st prize $2 50, 2nd prize $1.
12 Three Legged Race, 100 yards. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50.
13 Foot Race for girls under 12 years, 75 yards. Entrance free. 1st prize $2, 2nd prize $1, 3rd prize 50c.
14 Sack Race, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. Prize $2 50.
15 Catching Pig by greasy tail. Prize, the pig. No catchee, no habee.
N B—Four to enter or no race.

P SAUNDERS,
E SIMPSON,
J VAUGHAN, } Game Committee.
je20

EX PRINCE ALFRED

AND OTHER RECENT ARRIVALS

In Bond or in Store.

CONGO,
U. S.
JAPAN
and BASKET TEA
ABSYNTHE
CLARET
BURGUNDY
CAL WHITE WINE
BOKER'S BITTERS
CHAMPAGNE
RAISINS in full halves & quarter boxes
Eastern Oregon and Cal LARD.
CLEAR LAKE CHEESE
EASTERN DRIED APPLES
DYER'S, FAY Mottled & Castile Soap
CHINA & Sandwich Islands Rice

C. STROUSS,

Commercial Row, Wharf Street.
je17

FRUIT! FRUIT!

To Arrive Per North Pacific,

25 BOXES

APPLES,
PINE APPLES,
BANNANAS,
PEARS,
PEACHES,
PLUMS,

FOR SALE BY
P. CRANOVELLI,
je24 Johnson Street

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.
my30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Shipping.

Bark Cornelis, from San Francisco.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the Hastings Mill Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. je24

For Skeena River.

THE STEAMER EMILY HARRIS, Capt Frain, will sail for Skeena River, for the highest point of navigation, at an early date.
For Freight or Passage apply on board, or at the office of the undersigned, Sproat's wharf.
je20 JAMES FRAIN.

Freight taken at Lowest Rates!

DISPATCH LINE!

For Victoria, B. C.

THE NEW CLIPPER SCHOONER LOVET PEACOCK,

Will sail for the above port on the 1st July, full or not full.
For freight or passage apply to
COGHILL & HARRISON
318 Front street San Francisco
Or to C T MILLARD Agent
je17 Wharf street Victoria.

Bark Carib, fm San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPTAIN SUTHERLAND nor the agents will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
my21tf

FOR YALE AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS on FRASER RIVER.

STEAMER LILLOOET

Capt O Parsons,
Will leave NEW WESTMINSTER on Wednesdays and Saturdays, until further notice.
N B—The above Steamer will not be responsible for cakage of Liquids shipped in tins or glass. my18 tf

FOR SALE.

50 SHARES SPRING RIDGE WATER Co Stock,
'The Willows,' Cadboro Bay Road
Block J, 8 Lots Victoria West,
Three Lots at New Westminster.
Apply at this office for particulars, or at the
je17 BANK BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

DEVENISH'S

CHAMPAGNE ALE,

BOTTLED BY R B BYASS.

For sale by
je17 SPROAT & CO, Wharf street

FOR SALE.

THREE YOUNG HORSES SUItable for saddle, draught or carriage purposes well broken and gentle. Apply to
C. J. KING,
my26 1m Fairfield Farm.

SUGAR

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED Sandwich Island Sugar No 1, in kegs.
my31 FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

Field's Oysters.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole agent for the Pacific Coast of the above favorite brand of oysters, now offer the same to the trade in lots to suit.
These Oysters are this year's packing and both one and two pound cans are guaranteed to be equal in weight as well as in quality to any in the market.

LOUPE & HALS,

Importers and Wholesale Grocers,

216 CALIFORNIA STREET, CAL.
San Francisco, June 9th, 1871. je17 3m

EIGHTH INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION OF THE

Mechanics Institute,

WILL OPEN

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8th, 1871,

AND CONTINUE

Four Weeks, Day and Evening,

IN THE PAVILION,
UNION SQUARE, SAN FRANCISCO.

The Exhibition Building covers an area of 110,000 superficial feet, and is complete in the various details of light, ventilation, steam power, water supply, and provisions for the requirements and comfort of visitors.
Application for space must be made before the fifteenth day of July next and articles must be in position by the time of opening Blank application for Space, Rules and Regulations, Premium Lists and all information will be sent on application, by addressing J H GILMORE, Special Agent, Mechanics' Institute, San Francisco, to whose care articles intended for exhibition may be sent.
my26 3m's A S HALLIDIE, President.

FELL & FINLAYSON

FIRST CLASS

Family Grocers

Tea, Coffee, & Wine Merchants,

Fort St, Victoria,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Our large and varied Stock of Choice Family Groceries, Ship and Passenger Stores, Housekeeping Goods, &c., &c.,

Cannot be excelled by any other Establishment.

Our Terms are CASH or Approved Credit.

AND OUR FACILITIES FOR SUPPLYING families, hotels, contractors, farmers and others with

GOOD ARTICLES AT LOW PRICES

Cannot be excelled. All those who complain of paying high prices for poor articles are invited to examine our goods and prices

MINER'S SUPPLIES

Carefully packed to order Particular attention paid to

SHIP AND NAVY STORES

Our Foreign

WINES and BRANDIES

Are pure and selected expressly for Family and Medicinal purposes

FINE TEAS

Are among our specialities

Large Sales and small Profits FOR CASH and we will not be undersold by any other establishment

Fell's Coffee

Has stood the test of eight years' trial, and is acknowledged to have no equal on this Coast
FORT STREET, March 24, 1871. my25

HAYWARD & JENKINSON,

UNDERTAKERS,

LANGLEY STREET,
je22 Victoria.

Notices.

Public Notice.

ON AND AFTER THE 27th INST. THE Government Steamer Sir James Douglas will make two trips to Comox in each month, on successive Tuesdays.
FARES—Single, $6; return ticket, $10.
B. W. PEARSE,
Lands & Works, Victoria, B C, June 13, 1871. je14

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia,

IN BANKRUPTCY.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADjudication of Bankruptcy bearing date the 13th day of May, A. D 1871, hath been duly filed against Julius William Keyser of Yates and Government Streets in the City of Victoria, Vancouver Island, Trader, and he having been declared Bankrupt thereunder is hereby required to surrender himself to the Ch of Justice or a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria aforesaid, on Wednesday the Fourteenth day of June next, and on Wednesday the Twelfth day of July next, at the hour of Twelve noon of each day and to make full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their claims and at the first meeting to choose Assignees and at the last meeting the said Bankrupt is to finish his examination.
Any person indebted to the said Bankrupt or who may have any of his effects, is not to pay or deliver the same but to the undersigned Official Assignees, who have been duly appointed by the Court, and give notice to Robert Bishop of Bastion Street, Victoria, Solicitor for the Petitioning Creditor.
RICHARD WOODS, } Official
CHAS. E. POOLEY, } Assignees.
Victoria, V. I., May 31st, 1871. je1

Estate of Simon Cornow Deceased

EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED parties are requested to call at the office of the undersigned on or before Saturday, the 17th inst, and give information as to the circumstance, attending the death of the aforenamed deceased.
JOHN T DAVIES,
FRANK POCHOU,
HENRY ROBERTS,
RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar's Office, James Bay, Official Administrator.
Victoria, June 5, 1871 je6

REAL ESTATE TAX COMMISSION,

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONERS ARE READY to hear appeals against arrears of Taxes due to the Government for the years 1864-65 and 1865-66, as well in respect of country land as of town lots.
The sittings will terminate on or about the 15th June next. By order,
CHARLES G WYLLY, Secretary
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, B C, May 31st, 1871. je1 1m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of the Estate of Julius William Keyser, a Bankrupt,

THE JUSTICES OF THIS HONORABLE Court having confirmed the appointment of Mr H F Heisterman, of Langley street, as Creditors' Assignee, all parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay the amounts due, to the said H F Heisterman.
ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor.
Victoria, June 14th, 1871. je18

Notice of Dissolution of Copartnership

THE PARTNERSHIP LATELY SUBsisting between George Jay and James Chesney Pales as Nursery men and Seedsmen in Victoria, was on the 16th inst. dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding debts must be immediately paid to either of the undersigned
GEORGE JAY,
JAS CHESTNEY BALES.
The business will in future be carried on by the said George Jay under the style or title of JAY & CO.
Victoria, B. C, June 21, 1871 je23daw

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate as the late James McNish of Comox, are requested to send them to the undersigned for payment. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment forthwith to
ADAM G HORNE,
Executor of the Estate of Jas McNish, deceased,
Comox, 12th June, 1871. je17

Positively No Credit.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE NO MESsage whatever will be forwarded from this office until all dues are paid thereon. Telegrams received 'COLLECT' will not be delivered until paid in full.
R B McMICKING,
Office Western Union Telegraph Co, Agent.
Victoria, B C, June 8, 1871. je4

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 a m the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.
je4

Estate of John Wilkie, Deceased.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE should be sent in to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of July next, to whom also all debts are requested to be paid.
W B WILSON,
Administrator.
VICTORIA, B. C., June 7th, 1871. je8

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE responsible for any debts contracted on account of Sooke Saw Mill without his authority.
J ROBERTSON STEWART.
Victoria, B C, May 30, 1871 my31

NOTICE.

APPLICATION FOR CROWN GRANTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL applications for Crown Grants, where the title is derived through others than the Crown, must be in duplicate and must contain a Schedule of the Deeds and Instruments enclosed, with their respective dates. No application can be received at this office unless the above rule be complied with.
B. W. PEARSE.
Lands & Works Dep't, May 30, 1871. je8

Ayer's Hair Vigor,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR

TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY & COLOR



Advancing years, sickness, care, disappointment and hereditary predisposition, all turn the hair gray: either of them disposes it to fall off prematurely; the effect is unsightly and unpleasant to behold. Dr. Ayer's consummate skill has produced an antidote for these deformities, which has won gratitude for him from multitudes of women and men. His HAIR VIGOR sometimes reproduces lost hair; and always stores to faded and gray hair its natural color, with the gloss and freshness of youth. The comparatively few bald and gray heads that we now see, are those who have not yet discovered the virtues of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR for renewing the hair. The fresh and youthful hair we see on older heads is often the product of his art. If you are disfigured or made old, austere and ugly, by gray hair, restore its youthful color and with it your features to their original softness and agreeable expression.
As an elegant dressing for beautifying the Hair it has no superior,
PREPARED BY
DR. J. C. AYER & CO, LOWELL, MASS.
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
And Sold all round the world.
MOOE & Co., Victoria,
my26 1y altw W Stw D altw Wholesale Agents.

BOATS FOR HIRE.

PLEASURE BOATS OF ALL KINDS FOR Hire by C. LEVY,
je3 At the Johnson street Ferry.

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Wednesday Morning, June 28, 1871.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

June 27.—Str Emma, Holmes, San Juan
Str Olympia, Finch, Port Townsend
Str North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend
Slp Adeline, Vallen, San Juan

CLEARED.

June 27—Str North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend
Str Olympia, Finch, Port Townsend
Slp Adeline, Vallen, San Juan
Stmr Emily Parris, Fram, Skeena

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 27th inst, the wife of A W Piper, Esq, of a son.

At Esquimalt on the 27th June, the wife of Wm Millington, of twins.

NEWS! NEWS!

The "British Colonist" is the only Newspaper published at Victoria that receives the Latest Telegraphic Dispatches, as a comparison will prove, Late Telegrams appearing in any other paper are copied without credit 24 hours after they have appeared in the British Colonist. The circulation of the British Colonist being greater than that of any other Paper, it offers the best medium to Advertisers.

Licensing Court.

(Before the Stipendiary Magistrate, Mr Macdonald, J P, Mr McKenzie, J P, Dr Tolmie, J P)

TUESDAY, June 27, 1871.

The following persons were granted wholesale liquor licenses:

J Robertson Stewart, A Phillips, Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co, F Greiley.

The following persons were granted retail licenses:

Henry Simpson, Henry Foreman, Thomas Chadwick, S Harris, Wm Beck, Richd Morton, P Gilligan, John Wilkins, A Verdier, John Stevens, J D Johnson, M Rowland Peter Walsh, P Bo-si, A Astrico, W Smith, P Everett, J Wilson, T A Williamson, Edward Wood, Wm Craswell, Geo Richardson, Jas Newman, A Peatt, F Saunders, P Calvert, F Sehl, Geo Booth, J D ran, H Wale, S Briarly, Jas Orr, Fee Coleman, D D Kubig, Richards & Nichol, W H Thistle, W P Marsh, W S Seelye, Geo Messes, James Strachan, A C Couves, Joseph Lwyer, W Steinberger, Marsh & Beale, Wm Nichol, P Murphy, Wm McNille, Jas Bland, D eNaughton, J Wrigglesworth, W Lohse, Martin Dodd, Wm Reid, C Bossi, L Eckstein, H Henley, McKeon & Trehart, P Steele, J Dunstin, Promis & Saunders, Jas Mady.

The following were postponed:

C R Smallbone, W Selleck, A A Townsend, B J Porter, J T Howard, John McKinnon, Jas Wilcox, J Dustain.

The following were refused:

Wm Lush, D Fasanaro, M Oven.

Municipal Council.

TUESDAY, June 27th, 1872.

Council met at 8 p m. Present—His Worship the Mayor and Couns. Russell, Gerow, Carey, McMillan, Heathorn.

ACCOUNTS

From Willis Bond for balance for labor on Government street $230; from D W Higgins from advertising, $10, were submitted to the Finance Committee for payment.

THISTLES.

A communication from Wilson Brown, complaining of the growth of thistles in the vacant lots in parts of the city.

On motion of Coun Carey the Clerk was instructed to insert in the daily papers notices calling the attention of lot holders to the city law regarding the growth of thistles

AUDITORS' REPORT

The Auditors were invited to appear before the Council and were questioned as to revising their report for publication, showing the balance of taxes due on real estate up to date instead of last November. During a long discussion facts were elicited which showed a defective state of the system of keeping the cash accounts of the Corporation.

Council adjourned.

STEAMBOAT RACE.—An exciting race took place yesterday between the Puget Sound steamers North Pacific and Olympia Both boats are new and well appointed and much interest was felt in the contest by our citizens. The North Pacific sailed from the H B Co's wharf at 25 minutes past 1 o'clock and headed out of the harbor at full speed. The Olympia sailed from Broderick's 4 minutes later. The North Pacific reached Clover Point in 16½ minutes. Clover Point is distant about 3⅛ miles from Victoria. The Olympia was about 17½ minutes making the same distance, and when lost to the view of crowds who visited Beacon Hill they were tearing away towards Port Townsend at a rapid rate, the space between the two boats being about the same as when they passed Clover Point. Every available vehicle was brought into requisition to carry persons to Beacon Hill, and numerous wagers were made.

EXCURSION TO OLYMPIA—The Starr Bros. yesterday extended invitations to a numerous party of ladies and gentlemen to proceed on an excursion in their new steamer North Pacific to Olympia and return on Thursday. Among those who availed themselves of the kind offer were His Excellency the Governer, Colonial Secretary Hankin, A Musgrave jr., Capt Macartney, Lieut Sturt and wife Lumley Franklin, R Burnaby, High Sheriff Elliott and wife, G J Findlay, J H Brodie, W H McCrea, G I Stuart, Capt Wylde and daughter, Auditor General Ker and wife, M W T Drake and wife, A J Langley and wife Mrs Holmes, Alfred Fellows and wife, Mr Moore R N., R Berkeley and J G Norris.

LECTURE—To morrow evening Mr T J Murphy will lecture at the Alhambra on Irish Wit and Humor. As a writer over the *nom de plume* of Barney O'Ragan, Mr Murphy is pungent and witty and if he can but throw into his discourse the humor which inspires his pen he will enable his audience to pass a pleasant evening.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE—Mr Lumley Franklin has received instructions from His Excellency the Governor to sell at public auction, on the 18th July, horses, carriages, wagon, harness, saddles, China and glassware and wines of superior quality. Particulars in a few days.

THE propeller California arrived at Portland on Saturday and will sail for Victoria to-day at 7 p m. See our Exclusive Dispatch.

THE Alhambra Hall has been engaged for a skating rink.

UP.—The line to Portland was repaired yesterday.

Heligoland.

This small rock in the North Sea appears to be destined to disturb the peace of Europe and involve the mother country in a war with the German Confederacy,—that is, if we are to place implicit reliance upon the statements of the Berlin correspondent of the New York *Herald*—doubtful authority, at best. Although lying only eight miles from the mouths of the Elbe and Weser the rock has never been German. It was captured from the Danes in 1807 and has been held by the British ever since. It consists of a rock about 220 feet high and contains a population of 2250, who subsist by fishing. Except for strategic purposes, one would think so insignificant a rock would be scarcely worth fighting for, and the encroachments of the sea have been so great of late that, in the opinion of some, the rock will entirely disappear within the next half century. So Germany has only to wait patiently and Old Neptune may grasp that which all Europe could not succeed in wresting from its present owner.

FIRE NEAR ESQUIMALT.—Yesterday morning at 3 o'clock the watch on duty on board H M S Boxer discovered flames issuing from the building known as the Navy Inn, situated near Esquimalt on the old road and owned by Mr John T Howard. The Inn, which was built of light materials, was soon consumed. It had just undergone extensive repairs and was on the point of being opened as an hotel when the fire broke out. Fortunately the furniture had not been placed in the building. Mr Howard was in the building on the evening previous to the fire, and put everything right and snug for the night. He had no light with him and there had been no light in the building for some days. The fire was undoubtedly an incendiary act. The Inn, which was valued at $1000, was uninsured. Mr Howard offers $100 for the arrest and conviction of the incendiary.

THE FOUR RIVERS.—This evening another exhibition of Barker's panorama will be given. Since Monday the machinery and lighting apparatus have been greatly improved and no hitch is anticipated. Everyone should see this fine painting before it is finally taken away for exhibition at the East and this evening the last opportunity will present itself. Seats may be secured to-day.

PIPER never does things by halves;—consequently he sent a whole box of magnificent Salt Spring Island for the refreshment of our staff last evening. He has still a large quantity on hand, which he is selling at the ridiculously low rate of 25 cents per pound.

THE public will be concerned to learn that Judge Austen is rapidly sinking and that his friends entertain not the slightest hope of his recovery. The Judge has attained the ripe age of 89 years.

WHO IS ADMINISTRATOR?—The Governor and the Colonial Secretary being both absent the question occurs to us, Who is Administrator of the Government?

THE PRINCE ALFRED reached San Francisco yesterday and will sail again about the 3d July. See our Exclusive Dispatch.

A BOUNCING SURPLUS. — The financial surplus of the Dominion for the current year will exceed two millions of dollars!

FOR SKEENA.—The steamer Emily Harris with 30 passengers sailed for Skeenamouth last evening.

CORONATION DAY.—Thirty-three years ago to-day Her Majesty was crowned Queen of Great Britain.

THE brig Zephyr and schooner North Star are both due at this port from San Francisco with cargoes.

TEN PINS—Mr Dan Duhig has leased the Ten Pin alley and will be found there early and late to accommodate visitors.

ANOTHER Executive Council was held yesterday morning.

THE ISABEL will be fitted up for ocean service—probably the Portland route.

NOTARIES,—To every 200 Portlanders there is a Notary Public.

THE splendid Bee Hive property is offered for sale low.

OVER.—The flood at Portland. See our *Exclusive* Dispatch.

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MILLINERY.—By last steamer a first-class milliner arrived from Europe for the London House. *

By Electric Telegraph,

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Europe.

VERSAILLES, June 26—The Communists of Paris are quiet but the organization is still kept up.

The Duke D'Aumale is in Paris.

The Duke of Chartres and Prince De Joinville returned to England yesterday.

MADRID, June 25—Marshal Serano has been entrusted with the formation of a new Spanish Ministry.

VERSAILLES, June 26—Thiers is slightly indisposed.

Persigney declines to stand as candidate for the Assembly for the department of the Loire. The Government has received favorable accounts as to the prospects of its supporters in the coming elections.

PARIS, June 26—The *Figaro* says the Orleans Princes will proceed to Frechsorff where they will await the decision of the country in silence. The *Constitutionel* urges the electors to ratify the policy of Thiers without conditions or amendments.

MADRID, June 25—A majority of the Cortes held a meeting on Monday to consider the King's refusal to accept the resignation of the Cabinet.

LONDON, June 26—One thousand workmen are turned out of employment by the burning of a large cotton mill at Manchester

LONDON, June 25—The annual banquet of the Cobden Club came off last evening. The prominent speech of the occasion was made by Earl Granville. In the course of his remarks Lord Granville said if definite proposals in reference to the French treaty of commerce were made to Her Majesty's Government they would be received with most friendly considerations. Passing to the Treaty of Washington Earl Granville said Mr Cobden always desired that England and America should be connected by ties of the warmest character. The speaker then eulogized the labors of the Marquis of Ripon and Prof Leonard in the High Commission, and spoke of the settlement of the Alabama question as a great and good work both in its relations to the past and future, showing how dissensions which were perhaps the commencement of quarrels should be settled leaving behind only friendship, peace and good will. In conclusion he alluded to the United States holding very striking protectionist opinions, but declared his belief that the people of that country have come to the conclusion that it is unprofitable to continue the collection of large tariffs. He spoke in high praise of the effort of the United States to pay off its debt.

RIO JANIERO, June 6 — In the Brazilian Chambers a vote was taken upon the clause of the speech relative to the emancipation of slaves belonging to the Crown and resulted in a majority of 28 for the government. The debate upon the emancipation bill itself has not yet been commenced.

Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, June 26—Official relations between Secretary Boutwell and Commissioner Pleasanton seem to be approaching a crisis. Boutwell having annulled a contract awarded by Pleasanton, both gentlemen are preparing to present the case to the President on his return.

CHICAGO, June 26—News from Ohio, Wisconsin, Indiana and Illinios state that the crops promise to be amongst the best known for years. Wheat is injured somewhat in some sections by smut, but generally the crop is much above the average. In Minnesota, however, crops are not so favorable. In many places there will be only half a crop.

NEW YORK June 26—Accounts received from Venzuela represent the state of affairs as deplorable. Society is disorganized in most parts of the country, commerce is destroyed and business of all kinds is exceedingly dull. The political state of the country is anything but quiet. There is no communication between the seaports and the interior, and private correspondence is often intercepted. The United States are said to suffer from the absence of a representative.

California

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26—The Democratic State Convention at Sacramento was very harmonious. Their platform is after the Ohio one. Gov Haight was renominated by acclamation for Governor, E G Lewis for Lieut Governor, Jackson Temple and Selden S Wright for Supreme Judges, W B C Brown for Secretary of State, R Cornel for State Treasurer, and John Barry for State Printer.

Exclusive to the 'Colonist.'

Second Dispatch.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26—Arrived—Str Oriflamme, Portland. Bark Jenny Pitts, Freeport. Bark Christopher Mitchell, Port Madison.

Sailed—Bark North West, Port Townsend.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, June 26 — The steamship John L Stephens arrived on Saturday night. The Constantine is advertised to sail on Wednesday. The propeller California arrived on Saturday and will leave for Victoria on Wednesday at 7 p m.

The water has now receded so as to end all apprehensions of heavy damage.

Third Dispatch.

Europe.

LONDON, June 25—The *Observer* of to-day says the programme of the Orleanists in case elections should show a monarchial majority in the Assembly, is to move the establishment of the Constitution, and when it is adopted to offer the throne to Count de Chambord. Should he find the proposition inconsistent with his dignity the crown is to be tendered to the Count de Paris.

NEW YORK, June 27—The Prussian Army Corps system is to be adopted by France.

It is said there will be a review on Thursday next.

Great efforts are being made in Belgium to obtain subscriptions to the French loan.

PARIS, June 27—The Republican Committee will publish to-morrow a list of the candidates.

Gambetta arrived at Bordeaux on Sunday and delivered a speech on the reorganization of France. He adheres to the views of M Louis Blanc.

LONDON, June 26—Burke, the Fenian, was released on condition of reporting yearly to the Magistrates.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO June 27 — Counsel for Mis Fair to-day filed a new batch of affidavits in the Fifteenth District Court, and a petition for the reopening of a motion for a new trial, heretofore denied, based upon such affidavits and those already read and made public. As the appeal of the case is now pending in the Supreme Court, the new motion will probably not be heard until the appeal is disposed of.

Fourth Dispatch.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27—The steamer Prince Alfred, from Victoria, arrived this afternoon and will sail about the 3d July for Victoria.

Letter from Versailles.

REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE "COLONIST."

VERSAILLES, May 27th

Arriving by St Denis, where as many people followed it as rode in carriages, it became evident that very little of the stirring scenes in Paris could be known at this German depot more especially as the Prussians were placing double and triple sentries to cut off all the communications—and to run the blockade was certain death, as one poor woman, a cook, learned to her cost. There was nothing left but to post by some 30 miles of a detour, and so the city of the Grand Monarch was reached. It would be next to impossible that any of the head-devils of the revolution could escape. The country swarms with gendarmes, detectives, cavalry patroles, to whom papers must be shown. In case of a good capture being made, a reward in the shape of money and promotion is sure to follow.

It is nearly three months since I last saw M Thiers. He has lived in appearance a century. He is really an old man at last; broken by the storms of state.

Provided by the necessary military pass, and accompanied by a few friends, I was enabled to re-enter Paris along the route of the victorious army. In their trench-advance the *en ceinte* the soldiers had unquestionably worked well, and in the mass of *materiel* accumulated the evidence was clear that Thiers, like Moltke, had left nothing to chance. In the course of time we shall have the facts of the entry of regulars by the St Cloud gate. They got in, to all appearances, by a *fluke*. The breach La Muette was an open road in comparison to that where the most was first crossed. It was unexpected that the simultaneous assault could not be delivered for some days still. An angry dispatch from M Thiers confirmed this, and the continued firing from Mont Valerian proved it. Strange that it took an hour to signal to the fortress to cease its thunder. M Clement will also, some day, give us the history of his waving the white pocket-handkerchief, and how he was able to crawl along the rampart from noon till after two without being pounded into mince meat by the cross-fire. However, the soldiers got in, as they would in any case, and no one will deny that their arrival was a moment too soon.

Recovering the river, the residence of Prince Pierre Napoleon and scene of the Victor Noir tragedy was an immense ruin of blackened walls and half burnt trees. It had the honor of being gutted in the halcyon days of the Commune. Skirting by la Muette, the nursery where Paris is supplied with the flowers and shrubs for her public places, there were prominent marks of rough work. Peeping through the half open gate there were thirty corpses in a heap covered by some leaves and green boughs. A scavenger who was quietly cleaning the Avenue, as in the time of the Second Empire, seemed supremely indifferent to the tragedy. On removing the primitive covering over the dead it was clear that they had fallen from shell-wounds. One body was in sailor's uniform. The hands were delicate with no marks of toil. The feet were small and in patent leather boots. The features were unrecognizable, and the brain covered the face like a veil. Twenty prisoners had been taken in this spot asleep. When they were roused up they saw themselves surrounded by bayonets—laughed and were tied. Some officers were in an adjoining house laughing heartily. They had disturbed Dombrowski over his dinner, and were now rifling his dispatches. The result of their reading has been to lead to the arrest of some 'friends of order,' who left Paris. Pushing onward by the beautiful wooded avenues, the trees shivered here and there by shot, the village of Passy and its chief street come in view. But there is a lonely house not far from the railway station, silent and deserted. Suspended from a bed rail and by his hair—Absalom-like—dangles the corpse of an officer of the Guards, with sabre cuts in his side. In passing down the Trocadero, I glance at a house I occupied last summer. The roof has been knocked in, and the front wall ditto. It would be well for the Guards to clear the streets, as some of the remains are in an advanced state of putrefaction.

From the Arc de Triumphe down the Boulevard Hausseman and the Faubourg St Honore, it was a perpetual roar and rattle of cannon, mitrailleuses and musketry. The troops were stopped at almost every street opening by a hastily thrown up barricade defended obstinately, and taken more or less brilliantly. The Guards fought most stubbornly and sought but little shelter from the windows. The Versailleists kept well together and pursued the Neuilly house-to-house tactics of fighting, which made their progress slow, but gave full opportunity for the play of their cannon and artillery. Never in any revolution has the Faubourg St Honore—the English quarter of Paris—suffered so severely. Houses are pock-marked with rifle and cannon balls and some houses have had to be blown down to make a passage for the army to take the enemy in the rear. Strange it was in this quarter that the National Guards resorted most to firing from the houses.

The Place de la Concorde was swept by regulars from the Corps Legislatif, Palace of Industry and the Madeleine. It was no easy position to take—it was the most strongly barricaded in Paris. The part in Tuileries gardens was blocked up by bales of wool and immense bundles of rags difficult to remain near when set on fire by the shells. In the Place women occupied the windows and fired on the soldiery when they charged the barricade. It is said they also threw petroleum on them followed by blazing logs of wood. It was here also that the Communists of all nations made something like a final stand till the New Opera having been taken, the Place Vendome barricade fell, bravely defended by Guards and women and the distinguished foreigners had to retreat towards the Hotel de Ville.

But what a retreat—a repetition of the crime of Eratostratus in the Nineteenth Century—at the idea of which the civilized world rises in indignation—at a destruction useless for protection and incapable of averting the avenging of—not France—but of society at large. The Commune sets in fire and extinguishes for ever Red Republicanism but

'Leaving a name, at which the world grows pale,
To point a moral and adorn a tale.'

The petroleum was wilfully laid on. The Vandalism commenced at the new wing of the Tuileries where were the apartments of the Prince Imperial—the Floral Pavillion. It spreads, licked rapidly into a train of liquid fire—room after room fell in, then the roof, then the dome—all now in a smoking black mass where once stood the glory and history of France. The Louvre, which belonged to the educated world has suffered, but some of the picture galleries are safe. The Palais Royal is now represented by bare walls, where so much wit, rank, beauty and crime once found a home. The Luxembourg and its paintings were not blown up The Hotel de Ville a bloody ruin. Notre Dame, St Eustache and other churches wrecks. The Palace of Justice burning still. Mazas prison and its hostages a mass of cinders and charred human remains. It is almost impossible to believe the bitter melancholy evidences of a barbarity that no Goth or Hun could surpass. One passes almost over in silence the rows of private houses equally consumed—a sort of Herculaneum of streets where one could devoutly wish some lava of forgetfulness could hide it from view, because the ruthfulness of the deeds shames our common humanity.

Is it any wonder that the soldiers would give no quarter—any surprise that France yells, not cries, for the severest and swiftest vengeance that can overtake the miscreants who having lost the part they played had not the courage to accept the penalty. It is not France but civilization that demands justice and the government Versailles may well be excused in dealing out any indiscriminate retribution. By this the fighting is nearly over—the last strongholds—the lairs of the cosmopolitan desperadoes are nearly taken. Everywhere there is ruin—some streets may be said to run with blood—they are all full of the most dreadful debris of man and his works.

For weeks to come the Illustrated Journals will have matter enough to speak in their language that everyone can read. For months the journals will be occupied gleaning the scattered details of the death and ruin and while the world lasts history will be engaged in unravelling the strangest phase of society that humanity has ever presented and where woman has played her Hecate part. I would not be surprised if an attempt were made to massacre the prisoners here. The inhabitants are going mad in presence of the devastation and bloodshed since the 21st inst. To what is this beautiful country coming to? Is there any human hand to bear her up?

Terrible Shake in China.

OVER TWO THOUSAND LIVES LOST—OVER TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND SQUARE MILES OF COUNTRY DEVASTATED—TEMPLES, GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS AND DWELLINGS DESTROYED.

WASHINGTON, June 4—Our Minister in China, Governor Low, has forwarded to the Secretary of State the following translation of a report of a terrible earthquake, from the Chinese Governor-General of the province in which it occurred:

BRIEF ACCOUNT OF THE EARTHQUAKE AT BATHANG IN SZCHUEN.

I have ascertained that Bathang lies on a very elevated spot beyond the borders of the province, about 260 miles west of Li Tang and more than thirty post stations from the district town of Tatsien, on the high road to Thibet. About 11 o'clock A. M, on the 11th of April, 1871, the earth trembled so violently that the Government offices, temples, granaries, stone and store-houses and fortifications with all the common dwellings and the temple of Tingshu, were at once overthrown and ruined: the only exception was the hall in the temple grounds called Tachuo, which stood unharmed in its isolation. A few of the troops and people escaped, but most of the inmates were

CRUSHED AND KILLED UNDER THE FALLING TIMBER AND STONE.

Flames also suddenly burst out in four places, which strong winds drove about until the heavens were darkened with smoke, and their roaring was mingled with the lamentations of the distressed people. On the 16th the flames were beaten down, but the rumbling noises were still heard underground like distant thunder, and the earth rocked and rolled like a ship in a storm at the mercy of the waves. The multiplied miseries of the afflicted inhabitants were increased by a thousand fears, but in about ten days matters began to grow quiet and all motion to cease. The Grain Collector at Bathang says that for several days before the earthquake the water had overflowed the dyke, but after it the earth cracked in many places, and

BLACK, FETID WATER SPURTED OUT

In a furious manner. If one poked the earth the spurting instantly followed, just as is the case with the salt wells and fire wells in the eastern part of the province; and this explains how it happened that fire followed the earthquake in Bathang. As nearly as is ascertained there were destroyed two large temples, the offices of the Collector of Grain-tax, the local magistrate and the Colonel, the Tingshu temple and nearly 700 fathoms of wall around it, and 351 rooms in all inside; six smaller temples, numbering 221 rooms, besides 1849 rooms and houses of the common people. The number of people, soldiers and lamas

KILLED BY THE CRASH

Was 2,298, among whom were the local magistrate and his second in office. The earthquake extended from Bathang east to to Pangs Chabemuh, west to Nan-tsao; on the south to Lin-tsah-shih, and on the north to the salt wells of Ashimtsz a circuit of over 400 miles. It occurred simultaneously over the whole of this region. In some places steep hills split and sunk into deep pits, in others, hills on level spots became precipitous cliffs, and the roads and highways were rendered impassable by obstructions. The people were beggared and scattered like autumn leaves, and this calamity to the people of Bathang and vicinity was really one of the most distressing and destructive that has ever happened in this country. The Governor-General twice memorialized the Emperor respecting it, who granted aid to relieve the misery, re-open the roads between the post-houses, and rebuild or repair the offices and dwellings as they were needed. Many are now resuming their occupations and the roads are everywhere passable.

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Victoria, July 26, 1870 ja27

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—OF THE—

FOURTH of JULY,

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At Sunrise—A salute of 13 guns.
At 8 o'clock A. M.—Canoe races.
At 9 o'clock—Regattas.
At 10:30—A procession will be formed at the Mason's Hall under the direction of the Chief Marshal, F W Pettygrove, assisted by his Aids, A F Learned, S Waterman, A B Pettygrove, and will proceed in the following order to a grove on the hill selected and prepared for the purpose:

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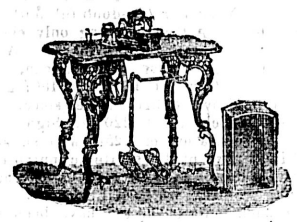
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